

Dear Congress and FCC: As a paying subscriber to XM satellite radio, I wish to register my opposition to any attempts by the National Association of Broadcasters to limit the program offerings of XM. Unlike the typical over the air broadcasts where traffic and weather are given every 10 minutes (traffic and weather together on the eights), XM provides a superior traffic alert service that repeats every two minutes. While this may not seem to make such a big difference, it can mean the difference between getting stuck in traffic or getting to daycare to pick up my daughter in time.

The message to you is clear. Keep your hands off the satellite radio industry and let the free market economy decide which service Americans want. We brag the world over how great it is to live in a free country and we send our soldiers overseas to fight to maintain our freedoms. You have nothing to fear by allowing Americans make their own choices. Do not legislate a solution to a perceived problem identified by the National Association of Broadcasters.